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	AG	5,226,909	07-1993	Evans, et al.	606	159	
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	AC	1693545	11-27-78	Broersma			
	AD	2085368	06-29-77	Kendall	128	341	
	AE	3635223	01-18-72	Klieman	128	348	
	AF	3730185	05-01-73	Cook et al.	128	303	
	AG	3788318	01-29-74	Kim et. al.	128	214.4	
	AH	3868956	03-04-75	Alfidi et. al.	128	345	
	AI	4140126	02-20-79	Choudhury	128	325	
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AR		"Physical Properties and Test Methods for Expanded Polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE) Grafts"
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	AF	4 641 653	02-10-87	Rockey	128/344	604/96	
	AG	4 655 771	04-07-87	Wallsten	623/1	623/12	
	AH	4 681 110	07-21-87	Wiktor	128/343	128/325	
	AI	4 699 611	10-13-87	Bowden	604/51	604/105	
	AJ	4 705 517	11-10-87	DiPisa, Jr.	623/12	623/1	
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PR	AR	Article entitled "Papers of the Society for Clinical Vascular Surgery", The American Journal of Surgery, Volume 162, August 1991.
PR	AS	Article entitled "Compliant Vascular Graft"
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<i>SR</i>	AR	Advertisement introducing SCANLAN ENDARSECTOR, 1984					
<i>SR</i>	AS	Improved Instrumentation for Endarterectomy. 1980 article entitled "The Hall Arterial Oscillator Instruction Manual"					
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	AB	4877030	10-31-89	Beck et. al.	128/343	128/341	
	AC	4886062	12-12-89	Wiktor	128/343	623/	
	AD	4889137	12-26-89	Kolobow	128/898	606/91	
	AE	4899729	02-13-90	Gill et. al.	128/3	606/198	
	AF	4913141	04-03-90	Hillstead	606/108	606/94	
	AG	4922905	05-08-90	Strecker	606/195	623/2	
	AH	4923464	05-08-90	DiPisa, Jr.	606/195	623/1	
	AI	4954126	09-04-90	Wallsten	600/36	606/191	
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JP	AR	Percutaneous Femoropopliteal Graft Placement, Andrew H. Cragg, MD, Michael D. Dake, MD, <u>Radiology</u> 1993; 187:643-648. Jan. 18, 1993.
JP	AS	Patents, Teresa Riordan, <u>The New York Times</u> , June 14, 1993
JP	AT	Techniques on Rise for Unblocking Arteries, <u>Salt Lake Tribune</u> , Science & Medicine section, Thursday, June 17, 1993.

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	AD	4994071	02-19-91	MacGregor	606/194	606/	92
	AE	5002560	03-26-91	Machold et. al.	606/198	604/	95
	AF	5007926	04-16-91	Derbyshire	623/1	623/12	
	AG	5019075	05-28-91	Spears et. al.	606/7	606/15	
	AH	5019090	05-28-91	Pinchuk	606/194	606/	
	AI	5034001	07-23-91	Garrison et. al.	604/53	604/104	
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	AC	5059211	10-22-91	Stack et. al.	606/198	606/	08
	AD	5158545	10-27-92	Trudell et. al.	604/53	604/	04
	AE	5192295	03-09-93	Danforth et. al.	606/194	604/96	
	AF	5064435	11-12-91	Porter	623/12	606/	51
	AG	5071407	12-10-91	Termin et. al.	604/104	604/	74
	AH	5078720	01-07-92	Burton et. al.	606/108	606/	98
	AI	5078726	01-07-92	Kreamer	606/194	623/	
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AI	5133732	07-28-92	Wiktor	606/195	623/1		
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	AF	5151105	09-29-92	Kwan-Gett	623/1	606/153	
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	AD	5199951	04-06-93	Spears	604/96	604	113
	AE	5197978	03-30-93	Hess	623/1	623	11
	AF	5207695	05-04-93	Trout III	606/153	606	198
	AG	5201901	04-13-93	Harada et. al.	606/198	623	1
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